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## **AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated November 29, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please substitute the following amended claim(s) for corresponding claim(s) previously presented. A copy of the amended claim(s) showing current revisions is attached.

1. (Thrice Amended) An active matrix liquid crystal display device comprising a liquid crystal cell, a switching element arranged in matrix, and shading layers mounted both on the upper side and the lower side of said switching element; wherein